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PATENT

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant : BURGESS, ANDREW P.  
Appl. No. : 10/712,121  
Filed : November 13, 2003  
Title : DECK MOUNTING BRACKET

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

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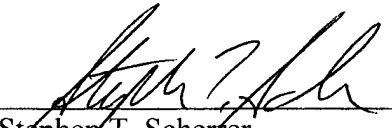
It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated October 5, 2005, now due to expire January 5, 2006, be extended for two month(s) and set to expire on March 5, 2006.

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